



FREE TRANSMITTAL
for FY 2003
(Small Entity)

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- ☒ Applicant claims small entity status.
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FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Fee Code	Fee Paid	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	[]
2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	[]
1053	130	Non-English specification	[]
1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	[]
1804	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	[]
1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	[]
2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	[]
2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	[]
2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	[]
2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	[]
2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	[]
2401	165	Notice of Appeal	[]
2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	[]
2403	145	Request for Oral Hearing	[]
1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	[]
2452	55	Petition to revive -unavoidable	[]
2453	475	Petition to revive - unintentional	[]
2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	[]
2502	240	Design issue fee	[]
2503	320	Plant issue fee	[]
1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	[]
1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(q)	[]
1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Statement	[]
8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	[]
2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	[]
2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	[]
2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	[]
1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	[]
1504	300	Publication fee for early, voluntary, or normal publication	[]
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1455	200	Filing an application for patent term adjustment	[]
1456	400	Request for reinstatement of term reduced	[]
Other fee (specify)			[]

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Fee Code	Fee \$	Fee Description	Fee Paid
2001	385	Utility filing fee	[]
2002	170	Design Filing Fee	[]
2003	265	Plant Filing Fee	[]
2004	385	Reissue Filing Fee	[]
2005	80	Provisional Filing Fee	[]

SUBTOTAL \$

2. CLAIMS

Total Claims	Independent Claims	Multiple Dependent Claims	Extra Claims	Fee	Fee Paid
[11]	[]	[]	- 20** = [0] x	\$ 9 =	[\$0]
[4]	[]	[]	- 3** = [1] x	43 =	[\$43]
			+	145 =	[\$0]

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Director of the United States Patent
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 9 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.

Appendix A including amended drawing figures is attached following page 11 of this paper.

Appendix B including a substitute specification incorporating the Amendments to the Specification is attached following Appendix A.